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## 1c, 2c, 4c Regulars Announced

### Coming Issues Of Spain, Colonies

Some postal rates are in for revision if the latest decree concerning stamps of Spanish Guinea can be interpreted in that light. Originally forecast were donominations of 10c, 30c and 60c. Modification of the original proclamation tells that there will be values of 5c, 15c and 80c. The 20c boost to 80c will be for foreign first class mail.

Also due from the same Spanish colony is a set of two for explorer Manuel Iradier y Bulfy, of 60c and 1 Peseta. Release date is not known.

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Carlos Lenze, Barquillo 29, Madrid, Spain advises that on November 23 there will be the annual issuance of the semipostal Stamp Day sets for Spanish Guinea, Ifni and Sahara in denominations of 5c plus 5c; 10c plus 5c; 15c and 60c.

Mr. Lenze is authority for the news that July 7 was the last day on which the Cid, Franco and La Cierva airmail stamps of Ifni could be bought from the colony's post office or at the philatelic counter at Madrid. While these stamps continue valid for postage all post office stocks of them are to be destroyed.

Coming from Spain itself are a 10c noting the centenary of the birth of Juan Donoso Cortes, philosopher, statesman and publisher. Date of issue not known.

An airmail of 1.10Pts, will note the fifth centenary of the birth of "The Great Captain", Gonzalo Fernandez de Cordoba, in the near future.

#### Barcelona-Madrid Mail Is Now Flown

On July 10, Spain put all mail be-tween Barcelona and Madrid in the air, flying it by night so that it would be ready for distribution the following morning. Carlos Lenze, Barquillo 29, Madrid advises that a special commemorative cancel was prepared for the inaugural flight. Postage rates were not in-

flight. Postage rates were not increased for the service.

Mr. Lenze is authority for the news of a definite change in color of the 5c Franco, Scott type A194. As issued in 1948 the color was brown—the recent printing is more in an olive-gray and will no doubt be recorded as a variety in the Spanish Catalogs.

#### Chickering Designs Lewis & Clark Stamp

Charles R. Chickering is credited by the Post Office Department with being the designer of the Lewis & Clark commem due July 28. Charles A. Brooks engraved the vignette. John S. Edmondson is responsible for the outline frame, lettering and numerals.

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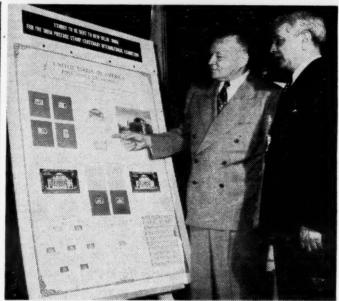
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FOR INDIA'S STAMP CENTENARY EXHIBITION. The above is one of three frames which the United States Post Office Department has prepared for the International Stamp Exhibition in New Delhi, India October 1 to 15. The display was unveiled in Postmaster General Arthur Summerfield's suite on June 29 in formal ceremonies. PMG Summerfield, left, is pointing out some of the highlights of one of the frames to Gaganvihari Lallubhai Mehta, Indian ambassador.

—Post Office Department Photo

### Smithsonian Collection Of Stamps, Philatelic Library Have Fine 12 Month Growth

The Division of Philately, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C., received a total of 171 individual accessions during the fiscal year ending June 30, according to Dr. Remington Kellogg, Director, U. S. National Museum. Most of the accessions were in the nature of outright gifts, with eight inter-governmental transfers, four loans and one deposit.

A total of 99,500 specimens actually were added to the National Postage Stamp Collection, representing a gain of 74,533 specimens as compared to the past year. The number of specimens in the custody of the Division of Philately is now, roughly, 636,500.

The Post Office Department continued to be the principal means whereby current emissions are kept up to date, forwarding one specimen of each new stamp distributed by the Universal Postal Union. During the past year four shipments, totaling 2341 stamps, were received as transfers. The Post Office Department also forwarded three specimens of each new United States stamp. Governmentwise, the major additions during the past year came through the cooperation of Commissioner T. Coleman Andrews of Internal Revenue Service, Treasury Department. In March 57,955 U. S. revenue stamps, die proofs and plate proofs were transferred to the National Postage Stamp Collection.

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This transfer is of considerable importance and did much to round out what has been a glaring weakness. Many of the die proofs are in the "Approved" category, and the plate proofs in most instances are in black and in color in complete sheets, on India paper and cardboard.

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### **Designs Picture Presidents**; First Days At SPA, APS Meets ASDA Stamp Show

Additional stamps in a new regular postage series have been announced for release in the next few months by Postmaster General Arthur E. Summerfield. Denominations are to be Ic, 2c and 4c. Previously issued in what might be termed the "Liberty Series" were an 8c bi-colored and a 3c purple both bearing a partial view of the Statue of Liberty. The former had its first day at Washington, D. C. on April 9; the latter at Albany, N. Y. on June 24. The 3c was also released in booklet form on June 30 at Washington, and is to have an inaugural in vertically perforated coil form at the same city on July 20.

Conventions of the national societies, and the annual large dealers' bourse and exhibition in New York City will be the places of debuts of the new regulars.

The first day of the annual convention and exhibition of the Society of Philatelic Americans, August 26, in Chicago, Ill. will see the issuance of a 1c bearing a portrait of George Washington. In the current "Presidential Series" the first president is to be seen on the like denomination. Sessions of the group will close on Sunday August 29.

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Thomas Jefferson who presently graces the 3c value of the Presidentials will be seen on the 2c of the Liberty Series. The stamp will have its first day on the opening of the sessions of the American Philatelic Society at San Francisco September 15. The APS meet ends Saturday the 18th.

In complement to the 6th Annual American Stamp Dealers' Association National Postage Stamp Show, November 19 to 21 at New York City, a 4c portrait of Abraham Lincoln is to be issued. He is currently on the 16c Prexy a little used value.

used value.

While the 4c has small usage under present rate structures should the first class domestic fee go to 4c, the former Republican president sticker. It has been the goal of the administration to increase the fee to 4c, attempts toward this end having been made.

Since the 1c and 2c denomination are issued in coils and booklets.

are issued in coils and booklets, and the 4c in vertically perforated coil form, it can be expected that the new stamps will appear likewise and have attendant inaugural cere-

monies.

Further details and descriptions were not supplied by the Post Office Department in the initial news

Collectors are now of the opinion that since the political amenities are disposed with Washington, Jefferson and Lincoln pictured, that the Liberty series will carry on the themes of Industry, suggested frequently in recent years.

#### San Marino Readies 10-Value Sport Set

Vittorio Lo Bianco Inc. of New York City is authority for the news that San Marino on August 28 will release a ten-value Sport set. It will have a total face value of 340 Lire.

of 340 Lire.
Denominations and designs are
1L Hiking; 2L Fencing; 3L Boxing; 4L Ring Toss; 5L Motorcycling; 8L Javelin Throwing; 12L
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The lettering was applied by the UN Presentation Service, and the usual five-language border added by the Thomas de la Rue and Co. Ltd. of London, England, which will do the printing.

The set will have 3c and 8c denominations. The 3c stamp will be deep purple, the 8c dark carmine.

#### P.S.S. Convention Program Available

The 1000 members of the P.S.S. and the Missouri Precancel Club have just had mailed to them a copy of the 32-page "Official Program" of the 33rd Annual Convention and 24th Exhibition of the Precancel Stamp Society, Inc., to be held Thursday August 19 through Sunday August 22 at the Daniel Boone Hotel, Columbia, Mo.
The program features articles en-

Boone Hotel, Columbia, Mo.

The program features articles entitled, "Twenty Years of Missouri Precancel Club History", "Missouri's Ten Most Desirable Towns", and "The Liberty Bureau Prints" among other items of editorial interest. Also featured is a complete list of the 561 Missouri towns authorized to use precancels.

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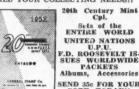
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Any collector specializing in Canadian stamps, or its provinces, and who is not a member of the British North America Philatelic Society, should consider joining the BNAPS as this organization offers many valuable services to such specialists.

Incidentally, the BNAPS was founded in 1943 by the Secretary of the organization—Jack Levine of 74 Arlington Ave., Brooklyn 7, N. Y.

It's an international organization— devoted entirely to the collecting as well as the study of the Postage Stamps and Postal History of the Don.inion of Canada, Newfound-land, the Pre-Confederation Colon-ies of British Columbia and Van-couver Island, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Is-

According to the Director of Publicity for this organization, Alfred H. Kessler, 7934 Pickering St., Philadelphia, Pa. the society's official organ, TOPICS, issued on a monthly basis ten times a year, contains some highly interesting and educational articles on Canadian stamps, modern and old issues. Members receive this monthly

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Officials of this society are very proud of its most comprehensive and representative library. It includes many outstanding publica-tions. All in all, there are over 150 various complete articles on sub-jects of special interest. This is another feature offered to the many

Each year the BNAPS stages its annual convention. This, according to one official, is an eagerly await-ed event. The annual convention is staged in a different city. Last year it was held in Montreal, Can-

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The BNAPS has approximately 850 members. Should you live in the vicinity of New York City or Philadelphia, there are groups of the BNAPS in these two cities. The New York Group meets at the Collectors Club every third Tuesday each month and the Philadelphia Group meets the first Thursday each month at

the first Thursday each month at 7934 Pickering St. in Philadelphia.

A welcome sign is put out for any collectors of Canadian stamps who

collectors of Canadian stamps who happens to be in the vicinity when the meetings are held.

In case there are readers interested in joining this society, they can communicate with either of the following: Alfred H. Kessler, Director of Publicity, British North America Philatelic Society, 7934 Pickering St., Philadelphia, Pa.; Jack Levine, 74 Arlington Ave., Brooklyn 7, N. Y.; or if you live in Canada, Charles P. deVolpi, 4720 Grosvenor Ave., Montreal, Canada, Any of these gentlemen will be only too pleased to give you any infortoo pleased to give you any infor-mation you want to know about this society, or supply you with membership application forms.

Philately's modern miracle in color form is the White Ace al-bum. While I have been collecting stamps and writing about them for some time now, I have yet to see an album equal the White Ace Al-bum. Take the Canadian edition for instance. Canadian stamps certain-

Instance. Canadian stamps certain-ly look more attractive to me in this album than in any other. Should some readers be in the market for an album for Canadian stamps, I would highly recommend the White Ace Album for Canada. The manufacturers have made

The manufacturers have made sure that the arrangement on the page is well-designed. The pages sure that the arrangement on the page is well-designed. The pages are illustrated—beautifully colored along the top with the Union Jack and a sketch of Canada's Parliament Buildings in Ottawa.

As reported by Klein's new issue Bureau service. Dubuque, Iowa Ic and 1½c sheet stamps. Passaic, N. J. 1½c sheet stamp and 1½c coil stamp.

and a sketch of Canada's Parnament Buildings in Ottawa.

The binder for the White Ace Album is indeed a strong one. It allows the pages to be opened up flat, without any trouble at all. Thought that I would tell the readers this, just in case they may be in the market.

Have just learned that the mar-ket for Newfoundland stamps in the states has taken a 40 per cent drop. Seems that collectors are no longer interested in collecting stamps from this former British Colony. That's what the dealers re-port.

port. One One prominent Washingtonian dealer told me that the plates of the stamps for the provinces of the stamps for the provinces of the stamps for the stamps for

Vancouver Island and British Columbia, New Brunswick, Nova Scotia and Prince Edward Islands are in the hands of a large concern dealing in stamps for collectors in Boston. Seems that the Canadian authorities sold to this dealer the remaining plates for these provinces when they joined together to form what is now known as Canada. This dealer also told me that this Boston dealer, who is well-known throughout the world, is still running them off for his firm. So, the moral of this story, readers, is to concentrate on collecting postally used copies. Vancouver Island and British Co-

Ly used copies.

Probaby this accounts for the fact that these stamps are being sold with full gum. In other words, be very careful of those mint copies of these provinces.

#### Cachet, Branch P.O. At Precancel Meet

O. W. Buescher, Columbia, Mo. postmaster, announced July 3 that the Postmaster General's office had approved a request for the establishment of a special post office branch at Precancel Stamp

office branch at Precancel Stamp Society Convention headquarters, the Daniel Boone Hotel, during the four days of the P.S.S. convention, August 19-22.

A special convention cancellation will be applied to all first class mail presented at this branch. Additionally, there will be on hand at the branch station adequate quantities of all the commemorative and special issues usually available only from the Philatelic Agency at Washington, D. C. The Post Office Department will also provide a special exhibit of postage stamps having high educational value for those who attend the convention.

having high educational value for those who attend the convention. Ed Christ, P. S. S. Convention general chairman, has prepared a special cachet to be affixed to envelopes mailed during this four day period. Those attending will be supplied with these envelopes already prepared with the cachet. Those who do not plan to attend the convention may obtain covers bearing the cachet if they will remit 10c per cover (or 3 covers for 25c to any one address) to Ed Christ, Route 6, Columbia, Mo.

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#### NEW MEXICO

Carl D. Bibo prominent collector of New Mexico precancels writes me that the collectors out around Santa Fe are forming an all New Mexico precancel club. Already about 50 collectors have joined and it is their hope that at least a hundred will join. They are of course collecting members from all extensions. who are interested in New Mexico precancels. Write Lillis Fisher, Box 584, Roswell, N. M. for details.

### NEW BUREAUS

coil stamp.

Beginning with the June shipments we can look for the new 3c
Libertys. Perhaps not all 3c items
will be the new series but at least
a part. By July all 3c items shipped should be the new 3-centers.

#### MAHONING VALLEY MEET

The Mahoning Valley Stamp Club will hold its bourse and exhibition September 25 and 26 in Youngs-town, Ohio. The Butler Art Insti-tute is the place—as usual there will be a separate room for precancel fans. Collectors from Salem, Lisbon, Lowellville, Warren, Canton, Cleveland and of course Youngstown always make this

#### Vatican Exhibition At National Museum

To simultaneously commemorate the 25th anniversary of the first Vatican postage stamps of 1929, and the Marian Year, the National Philatelic Museum in Philadelphia will be host to the firest and most comprehensive

National Philatelic Museum in Philadelphia will be host to the finest and most comprehensive exhibition of Vatican and related stamps ever presented in one place at one time.

The exhibition, which will be under the patronage of His Eminence, Francis Cardinal Spellman, Archbishop of New York, and is endorsed by Vatican officials, will use the museum's entire facilities for one month beginning September 22.

Plans for the remarkable display have been under way for more than a year and the preliminary work already accomplished promises to make it one of the most important events ever presented at the museum.

While in Rome for the canonization of St. Plus, Cardinal Spellman made many important personal arrangements for unprecedented participation by Vatican postal and ecclesiastical officials. His Eminence brought back with him some material, while other displays, being specially prepared will be brought to the United States during the summer months.

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to the United States during the summer months.

In conjunction with the exhibition, the museum also will publish a book of no fewer than 200 pages, under the editorship of Ernest A. Kehr. It will contain articles of a philatelic nature, specially prepared and written by the world's foremost students of Vatican City and Roman States issues, as well as features about the Vatican and Catholicism written by Bishop Fulton J. Sheen, Dr. John Harrington and others in the Vatican or the United States.

The exhibition will be formally dedicated by Cardinal Spellman and Archbishop O'Hara of Philadelphia on Wednesday September 22.

#### Colorful Book On The Marian Year

A colorful and historically accurate book about the Marian Year has made its appearance in Rome and Vatican City, and is available in the United States from William Wonneberger Jr., 67 Jefferson St., Startford, Conn. It will be of special interest to those of the Catholic faith for it defines the Church's doctrine of the Immaculate Conception, and

defines the Church's uccurrent the Immaculate Conception, and of the proclamation of the Marian Year by Pope Pius XII. The story forward through 16 Year by Pope Pius XII. The story is carried forward through 16 pages with a text written by Rev. Gabriel Roschini, and with the reproduction of a number of the valuable frescoes associated with the memorable event.

The pictures are excellently done in the actual colors of the artwork. Collectors of religion on stamps and persons interested in

stamps and persons interested in religious matters will find the book interesting. It sells for 75c postpaid from Mr. Wonneberger at the address above.

#### Swedish Postmark For Solar Eclipse

The recent solar eclipse did not go unnoticed philatelically in Sweden. The postal administration supplied a picture cancellation which was applied to the covers of collectors at Stromstad. In the center of the postmark is shown a map of the Scandinavian nations with a shadowy band across that portion of them in which the phenomena was visible.

According to a cover supplied by Martin Bostrom, Hertig Kar-salle 59-B, Orebro, Sweden, the event occurred June 30.

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Phantasies unquestionably constitute the most popular philatelic side-line of our generation.
They are "stamps that aren't what they seem" — issues ordered by revolutionary groups defeated before deliveries could be effected (the 1894 Zulia Republic set from Venezuela, for example), hoaxes perpetrated by slicksters in olden days (such as emissions for the non-existent Principality of Trinidad and the Kingdom of Sedang), series put out to amuse (as the idad and the Kingdom of Sedang), series put out to amuse (as the Atlantis and the North Pole "Bones" sets) and the like. Most dealers have a few tucked away in the "Miscellaneous" sections of their stockbooks and collectors running across these fascinating items are always greatly intrigued by them. There are actually two handbook-catalogues in the field, Melville's Phantom Philately, and Chapier's Timbres de Fantaisie, and present-day stamp enthusiasts are going after this material in a big way.

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asts are going after this material in a big way.

One of the most popular phantasies listed by Melville is the 1894 Brunei Sultanate seascape stamp portraying a mountain, palm trees, a boat, etc. In recent years, some authorities have held this mysterious item is, in reality, a local issued for use in this native East Indian state rather than a bogus issue. Be that as it may, it's a mighty scarce item and few collectors have ever seen one, let alone own one. Now, through the courtesy of Carl Berkson, the well-known Los Angeles dealer who found a small parcel of unused (no gum, as usual) ones in a newly-acquired stock and passed them on to me, SEVERAL HUNDRED OF YOU CAN HAVE A FREE COPY EACH IF YOU ACT PROMPTLY.

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Portuguese Colonials are experincing an upsurge in popularity. Few dealers have many because they are, in general, very scarce. It's been the dead monotony of issues which has told against them in the past. Incidentally, one of the scarcest groups of all is the Nyassa. The market here in the USA is virtually bare of this colony's issue. Bertal form, of Forbin and a continuation thereof since 1915, with that as reprint edition of Forbin and a continuation thereof since 1915, with the assistance of Monseur Forbin himself (he is now well in his 80's), will soon appear here in the USA.

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folks swamp me (one can never gauge response on such things!!), I'll do my best to send you some other old-time phantasy, but I do think I've got enough of the Brunei's for you to have one if you write at once. It's a pleasure to help collectors at all times and especially so in the case of beginners and juniors.

Incidentally, did you see Arthur Edson's AP dispatch from Washington the other day stating that Chinese are avid stamp collectors and that prisoners receiving letters always find it possible to buy favors such as cigarettes in return for the stamps from their envelopes? Recent-prisoner estimates state that fully 70 percent of the guards, interpreters, political instructors and interrogators encountered were eager beavers when it came to stamps.

Foreign revenues and foreign postal stationery were both dropped by most stamp dealers at the turn of the century, by which time enough postage stamps were coming along to tie up a lot of capital, take up a lot of stockbook space and to keep collectors busy. Now that the stamp flood has reached such proportions that most folks such proportions that most folks turn specialist at an early date, col-lectors are worried about not hav-ing enough material from a given country to collect, and are again turning to postal stationery and

revenues Actually, many of the cards wrappers, envelopes etc., were produced by the same firms that provided the stamps, belong to definite general issues, and have the same designs as the parallel stamps. The same goes for revenues—many are virtually identical. In the case of British Colonies, you get fiscally cancelled copies of the "Postage or Revenue" issues (the inscription commonly says "Postage and Revenue" but, of course,

#### SPECIAL EDITIONS

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Various dealers will want to time some of their advertising to appear in conjunction with the special editions of Linn's Weekly Stamp News sponsored by different specialist groups. These editions are always the last one of each month and contain a splendid amount of information about the particular country or specialty.

The next four editions of a special nature are as follows:—August 30—Vatican Philatelic Society.

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Further inquiries can be di-rected to this paper by inter-ested dealers.

Clubs or societies agreeable to sponsoring a special edition can get the details on request.

you used a given item one way or the other and not both). The only difficulty has been that there hasn't

difficulty has been that there hasn't been a general revenue catalogue since the 1915 Forbin and that the German Ganzsachenkatalog is now some 25 years old.

Collectors will, I am sure, be glad to learn that a new postal stationery catalog, edited by Richard Cone of Vermilion, Ohio and to be distributed by Scott in serial form, is in the making, and that the first section will shortly be ready for delivery, and that a reprint edition of Forbin and a continuation thereof since 1915, with the assistance of Monsieur Forbin himself (he is now well in his 80's), will soon appear here in the USA.

It's been the dead monotony of issues which has told against them in the past. Incidentally, one of the scarcest groups of all is the Nyassa. The market here in the USA is virtually bare of this colony's issues, as Philip H. Jones, Jr. of Broad Acres Farm, Shelton, Conn., and a few fellow-enthusiasts are finding out.

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Most USA dealers wont have any Nyassas whatsoever. Even the old bi-colored camels and giraffes, which Bela Sekula used to bring over from Germany and sell to J. E. Handshaw, the wholes aler, have gone bye-bye via the packet and juvenile approval routes. The Lagerloef Nyassas sold over double estimated valuation!

The Westminster Stamp Co. of Regency House, Warwick St., Piccadilly Circus, London, W1, in the olden days a premier new issue house, is today owned by Dr. Bacher, a former opera singer and doctor in music, who has converted it into England's biggest USA specialist firm. It publishes an attractive price list and does quite an approval business here in America.

who says that economic opportunity has largely closed in this country and that a young man has to go to Africa or some other frontier area if he's to make his way? Take Jacob Habib of New York, for example. A bookbinder by profession and an ardent philatelist, he was much struck by, 1) the few USA collectors who had foreign stamp catalogs; 2) the difficulty one had in getting one even if one felt the need for it. So, right after the war, he began importing them and, when he ran into too much red tape, he went to Europe in person to cut it.

Today he is the world's largest foreign catalog distributor, handling immumerable current ones from many countries and supplying them both wholesale and retail here in the USA. Incredible as it may seem his sales of British catalogs alone have quintupled in the past year, and his sales of foreign catalogs in

have quintupled in the past year, and his sales of foreign catalogs in general make a very impressive showing when compared to the sale of our national institution, the Scott

catlogue.

He's about to leave on another European pean trip and will probably up the remaining European sew catalogs so far as their distribution in the USA goes. Hats off to anyone



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14 queries this week, each only a short one taking only four or five minutes to answer, and each one accompanied by a stamped, addressed envelope. That's the way it should be. A philatelic columnist can't be expected to do extensive research or spend a counter of the control of the control

it should be. A philatelic columnist can't be expected to do extensive research or spend a couple of hours formulating an answer and, most certainly he shouldn't be expected to provide an envelope and return postage and to take the time to address the envelope.

Queer about questions which are asked. This week's, for instance, covering some 25 different points on issues from 14 countries. I answered 9 by the simple process of referring to Scott's catalogue, a usable not-too-old copy of which every collector presumably owns or can consult at his home town library. Scott boasts the proud distinction of being "the encyclopedia of philately" and it certainly gives you a tremendous lot of information. 6 questions were answered by consulting an encyclopedia, within easy reach of any collector anywhere. Only 10 called for looking up points in foreign catalogs and handbooks. books.

books.

Every serious collector should have both Gibbons and Yvert OR Michel since these several foreign catalogs list many varieties not covered in Scott. There's no better buy a stamp club can make than getting the three of them. Since you want them for the specialist information in them and not current pricings, second hand copies (available cheaply on every hand) fill the bill admirably or, if you insist on new ones, they'll do you or your organization for several years — until they're worn out or, as more commonly happens, somebody forgets to return them. them.

With Scott, the British catalogue and a continental one available, a collector can answer 98 percent of the questions which arise. I'm sure that we columnists will cheerfully answer the others provided they don't call for unpaid research.

#### Dr. Don Silsby Sr. News Story Subject

Dr. Don H. Silsby, Sr., beloved Springfield, Mo. doctor and stamp collector of note, was the subject of a nice write-up in the Springfield News & Leader recently.

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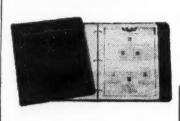
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#### Questionable Advertising



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One of our readers calls our attention to a couple of pieces of advertising matter about stamps and is very skeptical about the same. One of these is a large four page circular in which the dealer offers a price for about 50 well known rarities dating from the Pan American inverts of 1901 on up through many of the rare imperf pairs that have crept into the catalog in the years since then. Included also are the 6c bi-color airmail and the 24c invert, but what makes the whole matter look questionable is his featuring the 1c Franklin, Scott No. 594. This is described in such manner that no inexperienced person

Franklin, Scott No. 594. This is described in such manner that no inexperienced person could identify it, yet the picture will suffice to show the person who reads the circular, just what the stamp looks like.

Even collectors doubt this sort of advertising, yet if the dealer can get any of the material at prices offered he has a good buy. The joker to the whole matter is that these high prices will arouse the curiosity of non-collectors who see the circular. They will start bombarding the dealer with old stamps or letters about them and sooner or later the dealer will hit the jackpot and really pick up some choice material although it will not be any of the items he has asked for. for.

Another piece of advertising with the same aim is quoted here so you can see just how it will work. A dealer in a paper called the Stamp World has this advertisement.

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It is a pitch that has frequently been used to get contacts and while in no way a dishonest act it is at the same time a very unethical and displeasing method of getting after what one wants.

#### The Birth Of A Topical Collector

You may remember of our having spoken of Mr. George Kahn and his horses on stamps. Mr. Kahn has just confessed and tells us how he got that way and the story is so good we have to repeat it. Says Mr. Kahn, "Strangely enough I have no interest at all in horses. It all started one day when my daughter aged 12 was watching me working on my stamps. I had tried, unsuccessfully, to get her started with a general junior collection. All she cared for at that time, was horses. She loved to ride, read horse books, keep a scrap book of horse pictures etc. There was a catalog showing a collection of the German horse stamps lying open and I remember very clear what she said at that time. 'If I had stamps like those Daddy, I'd love a collection'. I had never heard of topicals then, but on my next visit to Nassau Street I asked a friendly dealer to pick out some horse stamps and that is how it began. After a few years my daughter tired of horses in general — to be fair to her — her school and Sunday school schedule really made it impossible for her to give the needed time, but by then it got me and I've kept it up ever since with great joy."

#### Contribution By A Reader

We are always glad to pass along sound thoughts from any of our readers and here is one from Horace C. Taylor of Punta Gorda, Florida. Think it over, it is full of common sense.

"Here is a thought for one of your choice editorials—when one spends a buck for golf or fishing he has his fun and is satisfied. When he spends a buck for stamps he has his fun and is not satisfied if he decides to sell and the dealer does not give him two bucks for it. Why? Fun is fun and costs money. I am speaking of collectors, not dealers. Should we all be dealers with no collectors?"

#### Wall Paper Brings Top Prices

There is no getting around it, some of these new stamps (?) offered to Topical collectors fetch top prices because of their beauty. It seems that the old type of collector is having a hard time of it now as most new collectors in the field seldom ever get to the fascinating field of specializing in any country and seldom ever get back to the 19th century issues in their efforts. We some times wonder what is to become of the older issues unless some of the present group of collectors will learn of the joys and interest that can be found in the earlier material and which is not in any manner apparent in this modern stuff we are and which is not in any manner apparent in this modern stuff we are all buying so eagerly. Here is an example. At the stamp Jamboree at Sebring, Florida on June 12, 13 there was a small auction. In the sale was a set of abour a dozen of these new South Molucca Triangle stamps with fish on them. They sure were pretty and colorful. I knew that they were not a recognized issue but because of my interest knew that they were not a recognized issue but because of my interest in Triangles I will buy such truck. The owner had placed a reserve of 75c on the lot. I judged that this price would protect the owner, thus also judged that any price over 75c would be more than they could be bought for. The bidding started, I followed it up to over a dollar because I would have gladly paid a small premium to save hunting the set from some dealer. That however was not good as they kept on bidding and if memory serves me rightly the set was knocked down at \$2.50 or \$2.60. About five times what it should have brought as the current wholesale price on this set of beauties is much under the 75c reserve price that had been placed on the stamps. The man who bought them said he wanted to give them to a friend who was a confirmed fisherman. He could probably afford to throw away a couple dollars to enjoy this whim, but how about the others who were bidding on the stamps. This is why stamp collectors often complain about high prices they pay and then the dealer wants to buy them for little or nothing when they sell.



Yes, he's well-centered with no thin spots, but you have to watch these new issues so no excess moisture will gather on them."

#### Next Three Israel Issues

Israel's Postal Administration has released the designs of three commemoratives, the first due July 21 and the others in August and September. That for July honors Dr. Theodor Herzl on the 50th anniversary of his birth.



Denomination is 160 pruta— the colors, blue, dark gray and ochre. R. Errell of Tel Aviv was the designer—printing is via photolithography by Lewin-Epstein of Bat Yam. A sheet consists of 25 stamps with five descriptive tabs adjacent to the bottom row.

Dr. Herzl was the founder of the World Zionist Movement to which he dedicated his life.



G. Hamori of Tel Aviv design ed the stamp honoring the late Baron Edmonde de Rothschild. Printing is by photogravure at the Ministry of Posts Printing Office at Hakirya. Sheets will contain 20 stamps and five tabs.

The denomination is 300 pruta,



For the Jewish New Year 5715 there will be issued a 25p brown designed by G. Hamori and print-ed in sheets of 20 with five tabs. Printing is to be by photogravure at the Government Printing Of-

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Sept. 3 — Airmail 4c, Philadelphia, Pa. phia, Pa.

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Sept. 15—Thomas Jefferson 2c regular, San Francisco, Calif.
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1029—Columbia University 3c,
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D. C. April 9.

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A column or so ago I mentioned about using horizontally perforated coil stamps of the 1c, 1½c, 2c and 3c where there is mail requiring any of those rates. They are stamps of philatelic value and are obtained from the Philatelic Agency at face plus return postage.

obtained from the Philatelic Agency at face plus return postage. It was stated that it would be more fitting to use them than the "valueless Presidentials". Some folks want to know about that "Valueless" — which they are, and why. It must be remembered that the remark is for used stamps of the regular series and not coils or booklets.

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There are so many of some of these used that they are too common to be saved. In that category would be the ½c, 1c, 1½c, 2c, 3c, 4c, 5c, 6c, 7c, 8c, 9c, 10c, 12c, 15c, 20c, 25c, 30c and 50c.

30c and 50c.

Of some moderate value are the 4½c, 11c, 13c, 14c, 17c, 18c and 21c.

The best are 16c, 19c, 22c, 24c, \$1, \$2 and \$5.

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Booklet stamps as singles aren't desirable at all, but they have a little value a full panes. Denominations here are 1c, 2c and 3c.

Coil stamps above the 3c value, perforated vertically, are not seen very often, and so are moderately of value. They are worth more in a pair or larger strip. In my opinion, all horizontally perforated coils are worth a little more than the catalogs indicate.

It must be remembered, too, that the centering and the lightness of the cancellation make for greater worth. A heavily cancelled, off-centered stamp is a stinker in any denomination.

My conclusions are based on a periodic inspection of a good commercial mixture which I know is unpicked and which is made up of mail from business concerns and individual citizens.

mercial mixture which I know is unpicked and which is made up of mail from business concerns and individual citizens. Even the common high value Prexies are fewer and farther between all the time, The postage meter has taken over because it is a quicker means of applying the postage to a letter or package, and lends a better control over a business's postage account. Many post offices use a meter at the parcel post window in place of carrying stamps over 3c. In fact, in a lot of post offices you wont be able to buy much of anything of denominations over 5c except the very common, 10c, 15c, 20c and 25c.

When the Prexies were first issued in 1938 all the high denominations were used freely. Since the close of the war, the meter has taken over this range. If it hadn't been for the rather plentiful purchase of the odd values in the early years of the series, I would say the denominations listed in the fourth paragraph should have a catalog value of about four times what they have now.

have now.

1. Who are pictured on the 21c, 22c and 24c values of the Presidential series?

2. Which of the three were also in the design of stamps of the 1922-26 regular series?

Recently Moffett Chapter #6 of the Universal Ship Cancellation So-ciety sponsored a cachet for a sig-nificant event. The news was given a lot of publicity and many covers were sent in for service by collec-tors.

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Writing on the matter, Ray Milling of the chapter, says, "While the number of cover's was quite large the way some of them were prepared was disappointing. In many cases it was impossible to print a cachet on the envelope. Therefore, Moffett Chapter has embarked on an educational campaign for cover collectors... A printed instruction sheet describing the proper manner for preparing covers for cachets together with three free naval covers will be sent to any reader who will send a large stamped and addressed envelope to Ray Milling, 1905 Ashland Ave.,

Ray Milling, 1905 Ashland Ave., Park Ridge, Ill."

The above group isn't the only one which has been given trouble by would-be cover collectors. All organizations sponsoring cachets report the same lack of coveration. organizations sponsoring cachets re-port the same lack of cooperation. It should be remembered that when the usually explicit instructions are printed in the philatelic publica-tions to obtain a cachet they are

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done so for a real reason. The sponsoring body is trying to do a good job in the time they have, and that's how they're set up to do it. that's how they're set up to do it. So you must cooperate — never any special favors or requests — buy and use stuffers — keep the name and address to the right — and most important of all, put enough postage on your package so that it does not arrive postage due. Most organizations will absolutely not accept postage due sendings and you can't blame them.

Ward R. Crowley of Station KVTV, Sioux City, Iowa passes on some information which you cancel-lation fans might want to use. The farthest north, south, east and west post offices are named. They are Penasse, Minn.; Key West, Fla.; Lubec, Maine; Neah Bay, Wash.

In the mail came the query, "I am wondering if you know of any stamp catalog that gives the price that a dealer would pay to buy stamps from you. Every catalog that I have seen, the prices are for what they would sell their stamps for."

Do any of you know, or would it be just as well to sit back re-laxed and wait for the millennium?

THANKS FOR THE COVERS DEPT.: Fred Arndt, Roskilde, Denmark; Gunnar Madsen, Tollose, Denmark; Pierre A. Cubells, Soissons, France; Virgil J. Geary, Dayton, Ohio; Martin Bostrom, Orebro, Sweden; Henry Runhag, Enkoping, Sweden; Sweden.

Waldo M. Keck of Canton, Ohio reveals there is some experimentation going on in his city by the Post Office Department. The big idea is to enable the mail carrier

lidea is to enable the mail carrier to deliver more mail with less walking. Seemingly, that tragic moan in the nation's mail mills of "My feet are killing me!" was more than the human ear and mind could stand. So something is cooking besides the postmen's paddies.

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then return to the truck and drive to the next intersection.

Ultimate goal is to eventually motorize all residential mail delivery. Canton is one of four cities in which the test is going on — others are Akron, Youngstown and Warren.

Warren.
All the day's mail will be carried in the truck, eliminating thereby the "spot" boxes where the postmen pick up additional loads of mail on their routes. These spot boxes are serviced presently by truck assigned to that task. Also eliminated will be separate parcel post trucks for the new vehicles will carry the third and fourth class mail, too.

As to the trucks, they are four-cylinder with right hand drives thereby making a safer "getting in and out" for the driver.

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Scott Volume II Gets Early Release

Volume II of the 1955 edition of Scott's Standard Postage Stamp Catalogue will be published ahead of Volume I this year, it has been announced by Scott Publications. The new Volume II is expected to be available the week of September 6-10. As usual, its 1180 pages will cover the nations of Europe, Africa and Asia and their colonies.

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Vol. I of the Standard Catalogue, covering the Americas and the British Commonwealth, will be published in October. The Combined Edition, with Vols. I and II bound together, will be out in November. (Prices: Vol. I, \$4; Vol. II, \$5; Combined, \$8.)
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ner of military hospitals and institutions.

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The first Europeans to discover Texas were some shipwrecked Spaniards in 1528. Missions were not established until 1690. In 1821 Spain lost out and Texas became a part of Mexico.

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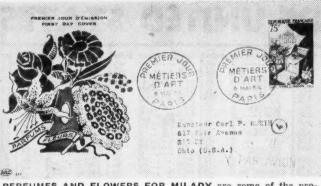
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HENRY M. FRIEDMAN Box 21 Planetarium Sta. New York 24, N. Y.

AUSTRALIA. On September 13 Australia will release a 3½ pence Australia will release a 3½ pence stamp to commemorate the centenary of steam railways. The first steam railway in Australia was opened for public traffic on September 13, 1854. The road was two miles, 64 chains long and ran between Melbourne and Sandridge (new Pert Melbourne)

between Melbourne and Sandridge (now Port Melbourne).
Chains were used to measure distance and each chain represented 1/100 of a mile. This stamp will remain on sale for approximately one month.

FIJI. For some time this column

FIJI. For some time this column has mentioned the 10 shilling and one Pound stamps of Fiji and stated that they were scarce and should be good when superceded by the Elizabeth stamps. The new stamps were released on July 1 and now "Strand" in the Philatelic Exporter of London, gives these two stamps as "This month's tip", mint or postally used.

ADEN. The announcement that Aden will soon have six new

Aden will soon have six new stamps, including the 10 shillings, in changed or deeper colors with some change in design, looks like another unnecessary issue, prob-ably for the purpose of obtain-ing dollars from collectors. There is apparently no real necessity for the change, which will of course, render the recently issued stamps obsolete.
ELIZABETH CORONATIONS.

ELIZABETH CORONATIONS. Although still available here at a reasonable price, dealers in London are offering to buy these sets. Evidently they remember the losses sustained with previous commemoratives and went to the other extreme of underbuying

the other extreme of underbuying.

GEORGE VI. The avalanche of the new Queen Elizabeth stamps has resulted in a slightly lower demand for the popular George VI stamps. However, in another few months, most, if not all, of the Elizabeth permanent series will have been issued and collectors will then go back to the earlier favorite issues. This should mean increased prices for George VI and earlier stamps.

SILVER WEDDINGS. The rehas been some recovery in the

has been some recovery in the prices of these sets, although many are still available at or near many are still available at or near devalued face. At a recent large wholesale auction in London, a mint pane of 20 of the Great Britain Pound stamp, sold for 19 Pounds, which is below devalued face. Some one took a substantial loss on these without counting interest for six years and the auctioneer's commission.

#### D.C.-L.A. Non-Stop Flight Cachet

On July 1 American Air Lines inaugurated non-stop service between Los Angeles and Washington, D.C. For the occasion the air line produced a cover with a cachet appropriate to the event.

A back stamp applied at Washington indicated that the flight time was but seven hours and six minutes. American's regular schedule will call for a 7¼ hour elapsed time. elapsed time.

#### Puerto Rican Paper Has Stamp Column

Puerto Rico's largest newspaper, 'El Imparcial', now has a stamp column appearing regularly in its Sunday edition. It is edited by Sergio Perez Grau

a philatelic writer and collector of note.

## Society Forms For

Global cover collecting is based on the premise that a cover, proper-ly franked and having actually done

rhitatelic Museum interprets Glo-bal Cover as giving the collector the satisfaction of following world stamp issues, and of building a col-lection in which each item is entire-ly different than that which any other collector may have — at the same time teaching the world postal pleased to know of the establishment of an historical museum by the Toledo, Peoria & Western Railroad. The museum, named Tee Pee, is located at Effner, on Route 24, near the Illinois-Indiana State line and is open daily. While it is expected that there will be many more additions to the museum in the near future, and on a continuing basis, visitors will already find much to interest them. Besides the inevitable photos of old steam engines, including a fabulously decorated one for the old Peoria Corn Festival, there are many other mementos of the past and present. United States Steel Corporation is helping to round up old rails to demonstrate progress in the basic characteristics of the railroads. Even the stamp collector will find something to interest him. I. V. Cohen, T. P. & W. purchasing agent, a philatelist, has prepared a frame of U. S. stamps depicting various railroad scenes.

Now being brought to the Tee history. There can be no two covers

Since the issuance of the Penny Since the issuance of the Penny Black, there have been approxi-mately 2500 Postal Authorities of one sort or another which have au-thorized the issuance of postage stamps for the pre-payment of mail carrying charges.

ties, private issues — any organization having authority to issue stamps or their equivalent. Up until now, no one has brought together a list of these Postal Authorities. The first project of The Global Cover Society has been to do this and it is expected that shortly it will be published.

Some members have set a goal of at least "one cover from every Postal Authority". At this time the Society is not completely organized but plans are underway to develop an organization. To this end any collectors of covers who would be collectors of covers who would be interested in joining, are urged to communicate with E. H. Bellard, 1940 Staunton Road, Cleveland Heights 18, Ohio who is acting as spokesman for the group.

#### **Annual Clam Bake** For Rhode Islanders

Clams and lobsters will again dominate the menu of the 16th annual summer outing and meeting of the Rhode Island Philatelic Society. As in the past the clam bake is scheduled for the Peleg Francis Farm in Rehoboth, the date August 21.

Visiting collectors are welcome to join in the day-long event with tickets available from Donald K. Knee, 8 Dartmouth Ave., Gaspee, Plateau 5, R. I. at \$3.75 for adults, \$2 for children under 12, under

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There will be a drawing for prizes, an auction, dealers' bourse, games and an auction.

# this time the West, and the Pacific Basin countries. The postal history of the early West is one of the most vital and yet romantic phases of U. S. philately. In 1892 the San Francisco Examiner printed, "In this city there are many hurdred collectors, who help to support about half a dozen dealers, three societies and a philatelic monthly publication of considerable merit, with the alliterative title of Fila-

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The Global Cover Society, found-ed at the '52 APS meeting in Phila-delphia under the auspices of the Philatelic Museum interprets Glo-bal Cover as giving the collection.

These authorities include changes in types of Governments, occupational Governments, local authorities

#### Collection Stolen In Owner's Absence

Now being brought to the Tee Pee are such divergent relics of the past as a drive wheel from an old steam engine, an encient coupler, old caboose lights, and a myriad of other items. A steady stream of Railroadiana is being received deily from retired rail

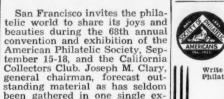
received daily from retired rail-roaders and friends by R. H. Eg-bert, Chief Engineer of the T. P. & W., who is in charge of the

& W., who is in charge of the Tee Pee.

Don Carter, 1201 Main St., Dallas, Texas advises that during an absence from his home his stamp collection was stolen. It comprised four volumes of South America four volumes of South America in Scott Specialty albums and three volumes of airmails in the same type albums but short the countries Dominica to Korea.

Dealers or collectors offered material of the nature described above are asked to inform Mr. Carter at once.

Outline portraits of Roosevel, Churchill and Stalin were over, printed on three regular stamps of Colombia. Best Of The West



In A.P.S. Show

standing material as has seldom been gathered in one single ex-hibition, this one at the Sir Francis Drake Hotel. Like every national exhibition it will tend to reflect that section of the country in which it is held, this time the West, and the Pa-cific Basin countries. The postal

with the alliterative title of Fila-telic Facts and Fallacies.' There are also several high class col-

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The intervening 62 years have seen much growth; today the Bay area has some fifty dealers, over

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CHILE—Jose Galetovic advises that a single 2 Peso stamp, blue, is to be issued in commemoration of the 75th anniversary of the Naval Combat of Iquique.

COLOMBIA — Two stamps, one an airmail value and the other a postage, were issued June 13 commemorating the first anniversary of the Armed Forces Government. The postage is 5c blue, the airmail 15c red. The design is symbolic of the government and incorporates the slogan "For the Country, the Peace, and the Justice" and the date June 13, 1953.

CUBA — It is expected that in connection with the Centenary of Cuban Progress Exposition to be held next April, an international philatelic exhibition will also be staged. It has been proposed that a set of stamps be issued for this event and also to commemorate the centenary of the first Cuban Postage Stamps.

GREECE — A new set of stamps, featuring the portraits of the King and Queen, is being planned for release in the near future.

ISRAEL — The Director of Philatelic Services announces the following: some time during July 1954, a 160 pruta stamp in commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the death of Herzl; a 300 pruta commemorating the reburial in Israel of Baron Edmonde de Rothschild; some time in August, a 25 pruta stamp for the New Year 5715.

MALACCA (Malaya) — On June 9 the 4c and 6c stamps of the definitive set were issued with a change in the Royal Portrait. On July 1, the 10c value was also issued with change of portrait. On July 1, the 5c value was issued with change of portrait. On July 1, the foc value was issued with change of portrait. PENANG (Malaya) — On June 9 the 6c value of the definitive

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SOUTH WEST AFRICA — A new definitive set of twelve values, all designed by local artists is expected to be released some time in the fall of 1954. Values and designs are: 1d, Brandberg Rockies painting of a steenbuck; 2d, bushman painting of a White Lady from the Brandberg Rockies; 3d, native hunting scene; 4d, elephant and giraffe; 4½d, karakul lamb; 6d, Ovambo woman blowing bugle made from eland's horn; 1 shilling, headdress of an Ovambo woman; 1/3, native Herero's face; 1/6, young native maid; 2/6 lioness; 5/- Gembock and 10/- elephant.

TRIESTE — Vittorio lo Bianco advises that the Catalani stamp of Italy was overprinted in black "AMG/FTT" for use in Trieste. For the Annual Trade Fair in Trieste, the 25 lire green and 60 lire blue and green values of the Tourist set of Italy were overprinted in black "AMG-FTT"/Fiera di/Trieste/1954."

VIET.NAM — Prince BaoLong, in uniform and in regular clothes is featured on a recently issued seven-value set. On the 90c olive, \$20 red and \$50 purple, the Prince is wearing a uniform. In regular clothes he is on the 40c blue-green, 70c red-brown, 80c brown and \$100 purple.

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## Dealer Doings

In a recent edition of the Stamp Wholesaler, publication for the stamp trade, there was an article of more than passing interest for all stamp dealers. Titled "Let's Have Some Competition", it was written by H. T. Smith of the Lucky Stamp Co., Cossayuna, N. Y. who advertises regularly in Linn's. Mr. Smith dealt with the preparation of advertising.

For three weeks, Delson Stamps, 67-24 Bell Blvd., Bayside, N. Y. will be closed for vacation (July 19 to August 6). Filling of orders will be delayed during that time with immediate attention on the re-opening. For those interested in plate number blocks the firm has a price list which will be sent on request. The company has a good stock of plates.

Alfred Boerger of the Boerger Stamp Co., 1851 Brame Pl., Toledo 12, Ohio has in this edition a definite buying and selling price for the \$5 Presidential with the USIR watermark, the first time such a thing has been done since discovery of the item. He is also seeking information about this stamp—write him for one of the questionnaires.

Crane List No. 51 which remains valid until August 31 has been released by A. B. Crane, Box 351, Altoona, Pa. It prices the plate numbers of all the regulars, commems and airmails from the Bi-Centennials of 1932 to date including the 3c Liberty, by position The ing the 3c Liberty, by position. The 8c Liberty is to be found in this one. For added details write to the above address.

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The Library of Congress has continued to forward selected used foreign stamps received on incoming mail, through the Library of Congress Stamp Club. This material is of considerable importance to the National Postage Stamp Collection because of perforation and watermark variations, and overprints and surcharges not normally included in shipments through the Universal Postal Union.

Inasmuch as the national col-

Inasmuch as the national collection is presently in the process of being regrouped it has not been possible to check such material properly to determine which specimens should be retained. It is hoped that some progress will be possible along these lines during the coming year so that needed specimens may be accessioned.

The philatelic reference library attached to the Division of Philately, Smithsonian Institution, Washington, D. C., has made impressive gains both in quality and quantity during the past fiscal year. Inasmuch as the national col-

year.
Eugene N. Costales, now of Houston, Texas, continued his support of the library by forwarding another large gift of books, periodicals and trade publications. This material has all been classified and is currently available. available.

available.

Malcolm MacGregor, of Bronxville, N. Y.—also a major supporter of the library attached to
the National Postage Stamp Collection—donated a copy of the
exceptional book on the British
Royal Philatelic Collection, and
also other valuable reference
books.

The scarce two-volume "Post."

books.

The scarce two-volume "Postage Stamps of Japan and Dependencies," by Tracey Woodward, and "Stamps of Mexico," by Chapman, were received as a joint gift by Dr. William Winokur, Seymour Winokur, Irvin Hermanoff and Lawrence Hollander, all of Detroit.

Much needed material came as a result of the exchange agree-

a result of the exchange agreement existing with Boston University and the National Philatelic Museum. Other gaps were filled by H. Dana Mitchell, J. F. Gates Clarke and L. S. Stadtmil-

Probably the greatest increase numerically this year came from the many philatelic publications and club bulletins forwarded regularly by the publishers, and from the Post Office Department, which turned over hundreds of older periodicals.

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#### Seals Two Australia

Keith Tucker

I'd like to introduce and talk about two charity seals of Australia which have not been included in other articles in Linn's on the same subject. Both are from the state of New South Wales and each is to raise funds for the battle against tuberculosis, and the care of those who have contracted the disease. Two separate and distinct organizations are the sponsors.

Shown at the top is a booklet pane from a book of the "All Year" seal for 1954 of the Anti-Tuberculosis Association of New South Wales. There are 240 seals to the book, 24 panes of ten each. The design in several colors pictures young parents with a baby.

Two Sydney firms entered into the production. Chessell, McCredie Printery Ltd. conceived and prepared the design, while Deaton & Spencer Printery Ltd. did the pirnting.

Selling price of a complete booklet is £2/2/0, \$4 in U. S. funds. Single seals sell at 2c and a pane of ten at 20c.

At the bottom is a strip (6 x 2) from the top of a sheet of 60 issued by the Citizens T.B. League of New South Wales. It is the 1953 Christmas Seal picturing the Waratah a native flower of the state.

Each sheet has markings in the selvedge of the four sides. Herewith can be seen that at the top. "Citizens' T.B. League (New South Wales)". At the left is "Please use these seals on letters, parcels, cards, etc." Right, "Proceeds for the League's Rehabilitation Welfare Activities". And at bottom, "7th Annual Seals Appeal".

Unless one is acquainted with the history of the issuance of this series the marking in the bottom selvedge might be misleading. While this is the seventh seal campaign, it actually is only the third seal of

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(Ed. Note: Mr. Tucker will supply these seals in any quantity at the face value quoted in the article, plus an addressed envelope and an extra allowance for return postage. Airmail is costly but rapid. Surface mail might take as much as six months for the round trip. Payments for seals should be in dollar bills. Address requests to Keith Tucker, 276 Glenlyon Rd., North Fitzroy N7, Victoria, Australia).



#### Aloha Week Slogan Coming For Honolulu

Five slogans ranging from South Carolina to Hawaii have been an-nounced by the Post Office Department. These will be impressed on the prepared covers of collectors who direct their requests and sendings to the respective postmasters. Postal cards must bear a name and address; envelopes must contain a stuffer, a 3c stamp and the name and address.

Honolulu, Hawaii from September 15 to November 7 will use an Aloha Week die.

Vallejo, Calif. sloganizes the centennial of the Mare Island Navy Yard until December 31.

Until September 18 Gaffney, S. C. notes a sesquicentennial.

Indianapolis, Ind., September 1 to October 31 boosts the Goodwill Industries.

Uniontown, Pa. until the end of the year marks the bi-centennial of Fort Necessity.

#### Hopkinson Award To Norman Kempf

In the July issue of the "Bureau Specialist", Sol Glass, chairman of the board of governors of the Bureau Issues Association announced that the winner of the Walter W. Hopkinson Memorial Award for 1953 is Norman W. Kempf of Auburndale, Mass. He merited it for his article entitled "Stuart Relief Breaks" which, in the opinion of the special panel of judges selected for the purpose, was the best article on 20th Century United States stamps to be published in the "Bureau Specialist" last year. The panel of judges was comprised of Winthrop S. Boggs, Sidney F. Barrett and George T. Turner all of New York.

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Priced items not followed by an asterik (\*) exist in small quantity and we cannot guarantee delivery in all cases. All items are available, but prices are subject to change without notice, when present supplies are sold out. The following Postagand Airs with 3 bar overprints, are offered in FINE USED conditions as follows:—

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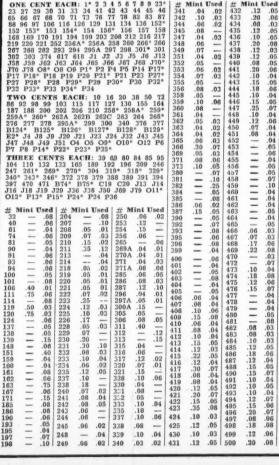
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